

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION Monthly Enforcement Report for actions during August 2014

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The following cases were resolved to achieve compliance with the law; remediate environmental damage; restore natural resources to appropriate conditions; and impose penalties to deter similar actions in the future.

Administrative Consent Agreements Approved by the Commissioner and Office of the Attorney General (party followed by location):

Asbestos:

Absolute Resource Associates LLC, Rumford, Maine. Absolute Resource Associates LLC violated the Department's *Asbestos Management Regulations* by allowing personnel to wear clothing under protective suits and footwear that was not designated for asbestos use only, easily identifiable by sight, and permanently marked or labeled as "Asbestos Clothing" on the outside of the clothing or footwear. To resolve the violation, Absolute Resource Associates LLC paid \$2,000 as a civil monetary penalty.